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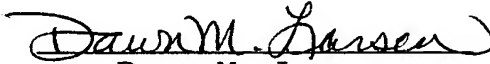
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STATUS INQUIRY

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The above application is based on and claims priority to U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/406,607, filed August 28, 2002 and U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/476,939, filed June 9, 2003. The above application was filed with the U.S. Patent Office on August 28, 2003.

Applicants' attorney received a Filing Receipt dated 11/19/2003 on November 24, 2003, along with a Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated 11/19/2003.

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A Response to the Notice to File Missing Parts was mailed to the Patent Office on December 10, 2003, which was received by the Patent Office mailroom on December 12, 2003.

An Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(b) was mailed to the Patent Office on January 7, 2004, received by the Patent Office mailroom on January 9, 2004.

An updated Filing Receipt dated 01/20/2004 was received by applicants' attorney on January 26, 2004.

A Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(c) and 1.97(e)(2) was mailed to the Patent Office on March 2, 2003, which was received by the Patent Office mailroom on March 4, 2004.

A Notice of Publication of Application was received by applicant's attorney on May 6, 2004.

To date, we have received no further communication from the U.S. Patent Office with regard to examination of this application.

Applicants and the undersigned would appreciate being notified as to the status of the above application.

Respectfully submitted,

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